

WUG's Hire Fees

(To be reviewed 31/03/2012)

Mobility Scooters

Day: First 2 hours £2
then £1 per hour thereafter
(maximum 5 hours)

Holiday Use:

£10 per day or £50 per week
+ £10 delivery / collection to hotel

Emergency / long-term loan:

Please contact us direct

Manual Wheelchairs

Day: First 2 hours £2
then £1 per hour thereafter
(maximum 5 hours)

Holiday Use: £6 per day
or £16 per week

Emergency / long-term loan:

Please contact
us direct

We do NOT
currently operate
a booking
system on daily
use but holiday
use will need to
be booked to
ensure
availability



Find Us

Shop 21, Second Floor,
Bouverie Place
Shopping Centre,
Folkestone, Kent CT20 1AU

☎ 01303 - 226500

Email: wchairuser@aol.com

Web: wheelchairuser.org.uk

Open:

Monday-Saturday 10am-3pm

Entrance to Bouverie Place car park
(max height: 2.20m, 7' 2") is opposite
the Saga building in Middleburg
Square, approaching the bus station

The car park has 3 layers, so the 2nd
floor is the last one under cover.
Shopmobility is at the far end from the
drive-in entrance in the left hand corner

Blue Badge parking bays are within
10m (33') of the shop but full NCP
charges apply (NB spend £7.50 in
ASDA & they will refund 2 hours worth)

If accessing on foot, the lifts at the
entrance by HMV / ASDA are nearest;
choose level 2

Wheelchair Users' Group (WUG)



Folkestone Shopmobility

☎ 01303 - 226500

Registered Charity Number 1064955

About the Charity:



WUG was formed in 1992 to be an independent voice for wheelchair users. It became a registered charity in 1997 and opened Folkestone Shopmobility in May 1999.

WUG's mission is to empower and enable wheelchair users to lead full and active lives by helping them obtain the right mobility equipment.

WUG is truly "user-led"; two of its six trustees are permanent wheelchair users, three use mobility scooters and the other is a carer / enabler.

WUG has one part-time paid worker but is otherwise run by a dedicated

group of volunteers, all of whom understand disability issues and the daily difficulties faced.



WUG's Services

WUG exists to provide information to anyone in Kent affected by mobility issues. We offer:

- A range of free factsheets on our website
- Information, advice and guidance on NHS wheelchair provision, voucher schemes and any mobility-related matter
- A freephone advocacy helpline on: **0800 - 074 - 0948**

Join us...

WUG exists on minimal funding, partly from KCC and other grant-making organisations; also from donations and membership fees from our supporters.

To use our services, there is no obligation to join, but by doing so you do help the charity to continue.

Annual membership fees
(for review 31/03/2012)
are £10 for single / unwaged
and £14 for groups / employed.



Shopmobility

This is a national network overseen by the NFSUK (National Federation of Shopmobility). There are currently 307 across the UK and each group runs autonomously with its own system and funding.

Shopmobility provides mobility equipment on a short-term basis, whether for a day to visit local shops and sites of interest, or on holiday, emergency or long-term loan.

WUG has 12 mobility scooters, half will take up to 17 stone in weight (108kg) and the rest up to 21, 25 and 27 stone. We also have a selection of manual wheelchairs (taking up to 17 stone) and powerchairs.

Whether your impairment is short-term or ongoing, WUG can provide the equipment to regain your independence at a minimal cost.



WC We also have a small range of disability-related items for sale and have a fully accessible WC.

www.shopmobilityuk.org

Email:

info@shopmobilityuk.org

☎ **08456 442446**

